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09/766,474

For

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REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND SUPERIMPOSING METHOD

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

| Transmitted he | rewith is an | amendment in | the above-i | dentified | application |
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- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below.
- This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

| (1) | (2) Claims remaining after amendment | (3) | (4) Highest number previously paid for | (5) Present extra | (6) Rate | (7) Additional Fee |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|----------------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| Total claims | 16 | Minus | ** =20 | * 0 x | \$50 (25) | = \$ 0 |
| Independent claims | 4 | Minus | ***=6 | * 0 x | \$200 (100) | = \$ 0 |
| | | Total additional fee for this amendment | | | | \$0 |

- * If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
- ** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

| | in the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 5, write 5 in this space. |
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| | This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360(180) has been previously paid \square , or is paid herewith \square . |
| | This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed. |
| | A check in the amount of \$ is attached, which covers the cost of \[\] additional claims \[petition for extension of time. |
| | Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320. |
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No. 50-0320.

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Name of Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative

Signature

July 6, 2005

Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: